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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: EFIN EAGR PFOR SY LY

SUBJ: SUDANESE-LIBYAN ECONOMIC RELATIONS

REF: CAIRO 3710 (5-30-74); CAIRO 10103; KHARTOUM 2727

1. LOCAL ARABIC DAILY QUOTE AL-SAHFA UNQUOTE  
REPORTED DEC 21 THAT LIBYAN AND SUDANESE TALKS IN  
KHARTOUM HAD REACHED AGREEMENT ON RESCHEDULING OF  
SUDANESE DEBT OF 7.25 RPT 7.25 MILLION POUNDS STERLING.  
TERM EXTENDED FROM 5 TO 15 YEARS, INTEREST LOWERED  
FROM 12 TO 4 PERCENT, AND GRACE PERIOD MADE FIVE YEARS.

2. LIBYAN DELEGATION WAS HEADED BY MUHAMMED AL-MAGHRABI,  
UNDERSECRETARY OF LIBYAN TREASURY. GOS DELEGATION  
HEAD, MINFINANCE UNDERSECRETARY HASSAB AL-RASOUL ORABI,  
WAS QUOTED AS SAYING AGREEMENT HAD QUOTE COMPLETED  
SETTLEMENT OF QUESTIONS RELATED TO THIS LOAN, WHICH HAS  
BEEN STUMBLING BLOCK IN SUDANESE-LIBYAN ECONOMIC AND  
FINANCIAL RELATIONS. THE DOOR HAS BEEN OPENED TO  
ECONOMIC COOPERATION BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES IN SOME INVESTMENT  
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PROJECTS UNQUOTE.

3. SAME PAPER ANNOUNCED THAT QUOTE HIGH-LEVEL UNQUOTE  
LIBYAN DELEGATION WOULD VISIT SUDAN SHORTLY TO  
DISCUSS FINANCING PROJECTS SUCH AS SUGAR AND WHEAT  
PRODUCTION.

4. COMMENT: AGREEMENT CONFIRMS OUR EARLIER IMPRESSION  
THAT SUDAN'S RECENT INITIATIVES VIS-A-VIS LIBYA  
WERE AT LEAST PARTLY AIMED AT NURTURING ANOTHER SOURCE  
OF DEVELOPMENT FINANCING.  
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